

### CANNINGTON SCHOOL | 10 APRIL - 2024

Kia ora Parents, Caregivers, and friends of the school.

It is the final week of term and we are preparing for the end of term assembly. There is going to be a special lunch which will be set in the 1960's. <u>Starters</u> Prawn Cocktail Coronation Chicken <u>Main</u> Roast Hogget Mashed potato, peas, beans, and a lot of gravy <u>Dessert</u> Tapioca (If we can find some) Flaked Rice Pudding Hopefully, the weather is not wet on Friday and we can get the Maypole out.

This term we have done a lot. From the trip to Richard Pearse monument and Airport, swimming sports, to the flying of gliders and remote control planes it has been a full term. So far we have two misplaced planes, one we can see in the tree and one that just disappeared from a routine flight plan.

The mural we took to the Mackenzie Show received a lot of attention and positive feedback. It showed the history of firsts for New Zealand flight and how it happened here in South Canterbury. If you haven't seen it, please take a look at it on the back wall of the dining room.



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Next term we will be looking at Poetry in more depth and starting to put motors on our gliders as part of Technology teaching. We will be playing hockey, ripper, and touch rugby next term as our focus is on hand-eye coordination and spatial awareness.

Our year 6 students are taking part in Kahui Ako days every second week and the next one is tomorrow in Fairlie. Thursday is about learning games and then a focus on thinking skills. Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May will see these students spending the night at Te Aitarakihi (Noho Marae) learning Kapahaka and carving in the morning with a Master carver.

Flynn wanted to include this story in the newsletter

In the morning I had porridge for breakfast with brown sugar

At morning tea I saw a plane flying around the trees.

At lunch, we played Simon Says.

During the afternoon the wind swayed the trees.

In the evening I saw some deer eating acorns off the trees.

We hope all our Tamariki have a great time over the holiday and we look forward to seeing them back in Term 2.

#### **End of Term Assembly**

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> is the end of Term Assembly, starting from 1:30 pm, shared lunch from 12:30 pm. Look forward to seeing you all there and finding out what is planned for the school holidays.

#### Plantings

Please have a look at the plantings that we have been completing this term as you come into the school through the gates to the East. We have been planting small amounts each week and now there are over 500 planted.



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#### Bus Run

Morning Run:

Any instructions regarding Mrs. Stewart's morning bus arrangements must be given before 7:30 am to ensure smooth coordination and to avoid inconveniencing others.

Afternoon Run:

Instructions for Mrs. Stewart's afternoon bus arrangements should be provided to the school by 2:30 pm to facilitate proper scheduling and minimize disruptions for other passengers.

By adhering to these timelines, we can ensure that Mrs. Stewart's bus needs are met efficiently while also considering the convenience of other passengers.

Any daily bus instructions for Mrs Stewart must be given before 7:30 am for the morning run and given to the school by 2:30 for the afternoon run. This helps us to avoid inconveniencing others.

School opens at **8:30 am** for drop-offs unless arrangements have been made.

#### **Library Days**

Term 2 will see the students visiting the library on Thursdays, if you can remember to send the previous weeks' books along so they have the chance to exchange for a new book.



#### Thank you!

Big thank you to the Eggleton family for filling up our freezer full of meat, it is much appreciated!



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IMPORTANT DATES		
12 April	Last Day Term 1	
25 April	Anzac Day	
29 April	Term 2 Begins	
17 May	Pink Shirt Day (Anti Bullying)	
30 May	Cross Country	
4 June	Teacher Only Day	distanta la
14 June	Geraldine Trip	making
27 June	Tekapo Skating	Mark your
28 June	Matariki holiday	catentiti
5 July	Last Day Term 2	



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FRI 6TH & SAT 7TH SEPTEMBER 2024 CAROLINE BAY SOUNDSHELL

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